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FM AMEMBASSY KAMPALA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3169

C O N F I D E N T I A L KAMPALA 3056

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR UG XF

SUBJECT: PRESIDENT AMIN GOES TO MIDDLE EAST

1. UGANDAN MEDIA ANNOUNCED THAT PRESIDENT AMIN WENT TO SAUDI ARABIA OCT. 13 TO CONFER WITH KING FAYSAL. FROM THERE HE WENT ON TO IRAQ ON OCT. 14 TO CONFER WITH IRAQI PRESIDENT.

2. COMMENT: SAUDI AMBASSADOR HABABI TOLD ME EVENING OCT. 14 THAT HE HAD HAD NO ADVANCE WARNING THAT AMIN WAS GOING TO HIS COUNTRY. WHEN I ASKED HIM WHY AMIN HAD GONE THERE, HABABI SAID: "WHERE ELSE IN THE MIDDLE EAST IS IT SAFE FOR HIM TO GO?" HABABI SAID AMIN HAD FLOWN TO RIYADH IN AN EGYPTIAN JET.  
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